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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Yoshitsugu Taki et al.

Serial No. : 09/992,935  
Filed : November 5, 2001  
For : TAPE LIBRARY  
Group A.U. : 2652  
Date : January 18, 2005

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Official Action of October 20, 2004, Applicant respectfully requests that the above-identified application be amended as follows.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this Amendment.

The Remarks portion begins on page 6 of this Amendment.